thereafter such cancellation shall be effective. The premium due notice for installment or renewal premiums is issued to notify the insured that the policy will be cancelled or will expire, as appropriate, unless the insured pays the premium in sufficient time for it to be received by the insurer, or postmarked by the United States Postal Service, on or before the due date. The mailing of any premium due notice, cancellation notice, or any other notice required by the policy, to the mailing address shown on the application or policy shall be conclusive evidence of notice to the insured. The mailing of notice as aforesaid shall be sufficient proof of notice. The time of the surrender or the effective date of cancellation stated in the notice shall become the end of the Policy period. Delivery of such written notice either by the named insured or by the Insurer shall be equivalent to mailing.

In the event of cancellation, earned premium shall be computed in accordance with the customary short rate table and procedure, unless otherwise specifically provided in said regulations issued by the Insurer. Premium adjustment may be made either at the time cancellation is effected or as soon as practicable after cancellation becomes effective, but payment or tender of unearned premium is not a condition of cancellation.

12. Assignment. Assignment of interest under this Policy shall not bind the Insurer until its consent is endorsed hereon; if, however, the named insured shall die, this Policy shall cover the named insured's spouse, if a resident of the same household at the time of such death, and legal representative as named insured: *Provided*, That notice of cancellation addressed to the insured named in the Application and mailed to the address shown in this Policy shall be sufficient notice to effect cancellation of this Policy. If the legal representative of the named insured is not a person who was a permanent member of the named insured's household at the time of the death of the named insured, this Policy shall apply as it applied prior to such death but shall not apply to loss of property owned or used by such legal representative, a member of his household or a residence employee thereof, unless such loss occurs at a part of the premises occupied exclusively by said named insured's household.

13. Declarations. By signing the Application or by acceptance of this Policy the named insured certifies and agrees, under penalty of Federal law dealing with fraud and false representation (18 U.S.C. 1001), that the statements in the Application are his agreements and representations, that this Policy is issued in reliance upon the truth of such representations, that he is aware of the applicability of the Regulations issued by the Insurer, and that this Policy and said regulations embody all agreements existing be-

tween himself and the Insurer or any of its agents relating to this insurance.

In witness whereof, the Federal Insurance Administration has accepted the declarations of the Insured set forth in the Application and has caused this Policy to be issued.

Federal Insurance Administrator.

(b) Such endorsements to the owner's or tenant's Residential Crime Insurance Policy forms as the insurer may approve.

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Subpart B—Commercial Crime Insurance Coverage

§83.21 Description of commercial coverage.

(a) The purpose of this §83.21 is descriptive only, and it shall be subject to the express terms and conditions of the policy form prescribed in §83.26.

(b) The initial policy issued by the insurer for commercial properties shall be known as the Commerical Crime Insurance Policy. Subject to its terms, the policy reimburses an insured for loss from robbery inside the premises, robbery outside the premises (up to a limit of \$5,000 unless an armed guard accompanies the insured's messenger), the wrongful taking of insured property by compelling an insured to admit a person into the premises, safe burglary and larceny incident thereto (up to a limit of \$5,000 unless the insured property is in a Class E safe anchored to the floor), theft observed by the insured, burglary and larceny incident thereto, robbery of a watchman (not to exceed \$50 for any one article of jewelry), and damage to the premises (of which the insured is owner or for which the insured is liable) as a result of any of the foregoing. The policy is subject to the exclusions set forth therein.

(c) The commercial crime insurance policy may be written for any industrial, commercial, nonprofit, or public property in accordance with the risk classifications set forth in §83.24 and within the limits of coverage set forth in §83.22, subject to the applicable requirements of this subchapter, such as

the requirement for adequate protective devices set forth in subpart C of part 82 of this chapter.

(d) Certain portions of the materials contained in the sections that follow are based upon the Burglary Insurance Manual issued by the Insurance Services Office, 160 Water Street, New York, NY 10038, and are being reproduced in these regulations and in the related commercial crime insurance manual with the permission of the copyright owner.

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§83.22 Limits of coverage and number of applications required.

The Commercial Crime Insurance Policy may be written in amounts not less than \$1,000 and not in excess of \$15,000 for each insured premises. The maximum limit may not be increased (a) by insuring several departments of a single business or institution at one insurable premises as separate premises, or (b) by establishing separate businesses for different portions of business operations having a common majority ownership which are located at one insurable premises. Each \$1,000 of insurance or fraction thereof shall be charged the applicable rate for the full \$1,000 of insurance coverage. Insurable premises is defined as one premises or portion thereof utilized for the purpose of conducting the business of the insured. Two or more buildings which are adjoining and have a common connecting door or passageway are considered one building and should be included in one application. Multiple rooms or floors within one building are considered one premises and should be specifically enumerated on one application. Physically separate buildings or portions thereof must be covered on separate applications using the appropriate IRS number, with a different suffix on each application, in order to identify multiple premises of one business. The commercial policy form must be used by a business for residential properties owned or leased by said business, incorporated or otherwise and for model homes. Such risks must meet commercial protective device requirements. If an insured shares

a premises with one or more other businesses but there is no physical barrier meeting protective device requirements to separate the business, the insured is entitled to coverage with limitations as described in §§82.5(i) and 83.22.

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§83.23 Amount of commercial policy deductible.

(a) The Commercial Crime Insurance Policy for industrial and commercial risks shall be subject to a deductible in the following amounts for each loss occurrence or 5 percent of the gross amount of the loss, whichever is greater, in accordance with the following categories of annual gross receipts (or operating budget, if applicable):

 Less than \$299,999
 \$250

 \$300,000 to \$499,999
 350

 \$500,000 and above
 500

- (b) The Commercial Crime Insurance Policy for non-profit or public property risks shall be subject to a deductible in the amount of \$250 for each loss occurrence or 5 percent of the amount of loss, whichever is greater.
- (c) Higher deductibles, percentage participation clauses and other underwriting devices may be employed by the insurer to meet special problems of insurability.

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§83.24 Classification of commercial risks.

(a) The governing factor in determining the risk classification applicable to a particular premises is the kind of business conducted by the insured at that location. If there are several types of merchandise applicable to the risk, the highest classification of merchandise inventoried and held for sale governs. For example, a business with the following types of merchandise inventoried, 60% handbags and wigs, and 40% fine jewelry, shall be classified as Class 5 Fine Jewelry.

Any change in classification must be reported to the insurer through the servicing company.